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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner in the Final Office Action dated June 22, 2010, finally rejecting Claims 1, 3, 10, 11 and 14.

- Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the [X]total number of months checked below:
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